

REMARKS

Applicants have carefully reviewed this Application in light of the Final Office Action mailed September 14, 2004. Claims 1-22 are pending in this Application. Claims 1-6, 8, 14-16, 18, and 22 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. §102(e), and Claim 21 stands rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103. Claims 9-13 are allowed, and Claims 7, 17, 19, and 20 stand objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim. Applicants have amended Claims 1 and 14 to further define various features of Applicants' invention. Claims 23 and 24 have been added to claim subject matter indicated as allowable. No new matter has been added by these amendments, and the claims as amended are fully supported by the specification as originally filed. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and favorable action in this case.

Allowed Subject Matter

Applicants appreciate Examiner's careful review of the Application and indication that Claims 9-13 are allowed. Applicants further appreciate Examiner's consideration and indication that Claims 7, 17, 19, and 20 would be allowable if written in independent form to include all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Subject matter formerly included in Claim 7 has been added to Claim 1, and subject matter from claim 17 has been added to Claim 14. Claim 1, therefore represents Claim 7 rewritten in independent format, and Claim 14 represents Claim 17 presented in independent format. Claims 19 and 20 have been rewritten in independent format and presented as Claims 23 and 24, respectively.

Rejections under 35 U.S.C. §102

Claims 1-6, 8, 14-16, 18, and 22 stand rejected by the Examiner under 35 U.S.C. §102(e) as being anticipated by U.S. Patent No. 6,708,265 issued to David Black ("Black"). Independent Claims 1 and 14 have been amended to include subject matter indicated as allowable. Inasmuch as Claims 2-6 and 8 depend from allowable independent Claim 1, the Applicants submit that Claims 2-6 and 8 are themselves allowable, and respectfully request such allowance. Inasmuch as Claims 15-16 and 18-22 depend from allowable independent Claim 14, the Applicants

respectfully submit that Claims 15-16 and 18-22 are themselves allowable, and respectfully request such allowance.

Rejections under 35 U.S.C. §103

Claim 21 stands rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Black in view of the *Microsoft Computer Dictionary* ("Microsoft"). Inasmuch as Claim 21 depends from allowable independent Claim 14, Claim 21 is itself allowable. The Applicants, therefore, respectfully request the Office to withdraw it's rejection of Claim 21.

New Claims 23 and 24

Claims 23 and 24 have been added to present Claims 19 and 20, in independent form. The Examiner indicated that Claims 19 and 20 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. The Applicants, therefore, respectfully request the Office to allow Claims 23 and 24.

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CONCLUSION

Applicants appreciate the Examiner's careful review of the application. Applicants have now made an earnest effort to place this case in condition for allowance in light of the amendments and remarks set forth above. For the foregoing reasons, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejections and full allowance of Claims 1-6, 8-16, and 18-24, as amended.

Applicants believe there are no fees due, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees to Deposit Account No. 02-0383 of Baker Botts L.L.P. in order to effectuate this filing.

If there are any matters concerning this Application that may be cleared up in a telephone conversation, please contact Applicants' attorney at 512.322.2545.

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